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HOME COMPANY VICTOR IN INJUNCTION FIGHT

Court Declines to Stop Work at Bentleyville

QUESTION OF RIGHTS

Property Owner Claim Damages Would be Done by West Side Encroachment

Injunction proceedings instituted by L. E. Ecberton of Bentleyville to secure a preliminary injuction preventing the West Side Electric Street Railway company from passing over his property, have been dismissed by Judge J. A. McIlvaine, pending a final hearing. The home company thus is substantiated in its efforts to locate and operate a street railways line in Bentleyville, and is able to go ahead with the work.

Ecberton, the plaintiff, and the company have been at odds for some time over the proposed constitution of the tracks of the defendant company across his property, Ecberton claiming that irreparable injury would be done his property and his home would be encroached upon.

In his opinion Judge McIlvaine cites the law referring to the case, and says that he has been unable to find any decision of any court interpreting fully the words "curtilege appurtenant thereto," under which technically the case comes. He says the law can be given two constructions, but he rather thinks the case in hand should come under the second. This he described as "only the curtilege," or courtyard, "that is necessary to a full enjoyment of the dwelling as such, the court to decide finally if a dispute arises between the parties."

Judge McIlvaine states in his opinion that the Railways company can take a portion of the "curtilege" without interferring with the full enjoyment of the dwelling or the "curtilege appurtenent therto." "At least," he says, "the plaintiff's right to claim the land proposed to be appropriated as a necessary part of the "curtilege" of his dwelling is doubtful, and the company should not be enjoined until the plaintiff's right has been fully established at a final hearing." He also states that the company must take a risk of an injunction being granted after the final hearing.

The opinion of Judge McIlvaine simply means that the company may proceed with its work of constructing a line through Bentleyville borough and that it will continue. But for the decision the completion of the line would have been held up.

Concert.

At the First Christian church on Friday evening, March 14, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor. Admission adults 25 cents; children under 12, 15 cents. 196t1

Don't forget Spidell's millinery opening, 403 McKean avenue, Saturday, March 15. 194-t5

Second pool match at 8:15 tonight, Oriental Pool Rooms, Taylor vs Rocco. Rocco won the first game. Taylor is out to win tonight. 196t1

Asks Money For Hospital

Representative Schuck Introduces Bill For Local Institution

An appropriation for $20,000 for the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, at North Charleroi, is called for in a bill that has been presented in the legislature at Harrisburg by Representative Carey L. Schuck, of Monessen. The bill will be taken up in due time together with other appropriation bills. Some time ago the State Board of Charities recommended appropriations for hospitals and State institutions. In their recommendations was included $5,000 for the Charleroi-Monessen hospital. An effort will be made to increase this amount.

CRUSHED UNDER A BIG ROCK

Emmet Axton Meets Death in Unusual Way

WITH WRECKING CREW

Emmett R. Axton, aged about 35, a resident of West Brownsville and one of the best known citizens of the Monongahela valley, was instantly killed at 12:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in an unusual accident. Axton as foreman of the wrecking crew of the Monongahela division of the Pennsylvania had taken his men to a point about one-quarter of a mile north of Rices Lnding to remove a stone overhanging the railroad track and which threatened to fall.

Axton placed a ladder against the side of the bank and had ascended to put a chain around the stone preparatory to having it removed by a derrick when the earth beneath the stone loosened and the obstruction fell directly upon him. He was carried to the track below a distance of about 50 feet, and was picked up dead. His skull was fractured and death was apparently instantaneous. His body was removed immediately to his home in West Brownsville.

Mr. Axton was a native of West Brownsville and for a greater portion of his adult life had been employed by the P. V. & C. road. In 1904 and 1905 with William A. Britton, of Washington he conducted the hotel in North Main street, Washington, now known as the Cunningham House. Later Mr. Axton became foreman of

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HOT TIMES CONTINUE AT WIRETON; FIGHT IS TODAY'S FEATURE

Monessen's Little Mexico Still a Good News Center---Mill Hands Witness Hot Battle Between Two Youths

Turbulent Wireton, that revolutionary Mexico of Monessen borough again came to the forefront with lawless behavior this morning. The hamlet where the murder of Policeman Michael Entinger occurred Saturday night was at an early hour densely populated and the occasion was firsticuffs between two mill hands of one of the big Monessen mills. The bout was pulled off at the carnival grounds south of the Monessen-Charleroi bridge.

The principals of the affair were lads about old enough to vote, one it stated being from Monessen and one from Belle Vernon. One was partly stripped, as though he was about to enter the prize ring. The other apparently did not think such a formality as stripping necessary and kept on his shirt.

Mill hands and others to the number of 75 or 100 surrounded the pair and saw to it that neither backed out. People from Monessen, Belle Vernon and Charleroi cars witnessed the disgraceful scene. The lads clinched right off the reel. Down they went, pummelling at each other. They were separated. The spectators were there to see a scrap and they didn't fancy a wrestling match.

The two flew at each other with sudden fury. One fellow hit the other a blow like that by which Jim Jeffries won the heavyweight championship years ago. The recipient landed about 10 or 15 feet away. Immediately the man who landed was upon his prostrate form pumelling away for dear life. Results were in doubt however for the under chap recovered quickly and went after the other in turn. When the spectators tired of the affair, the lads shook hands and declared it a draw.

The fighters were unmolested by the appearance of any officers, as they realized they would be.

LOCAL OPTION PUT UP TO THE SENATE FOR THEIR DECISION

Sensenich of Westmoreland Council Introduces Bill Permitting 51 Per Cent of Voters to Decide Question

Harrisburg, Mar. 13—In order to commit the senators and place them on record for the next campaign, the Anti-Saloon League turned its guns on the senate Wednesday in the hope of forcing a vote on the liquor question. This was when Senator Sensenich of Westmoreland county presented the most drastic liquor bill of the session, which provides indirectly for local option with townships, boroughs, cities and counties as the units. The bill provides whenever a petition signed by not less than 51 per cent. of the number of votes cast at the last preceding election in any township, borough, city or county, praying that the court refuse all licenses, the judges are compelled to comply with the request. The petitions are to be filed in conformity with the court rules regarding petitions and remonstrances at present.

The house law and order committee got busy again Wednesday, and reported out the Scott club license bill, which is backed by Governor Tener. The bill was amended to provide that each club should pay a license fee of $50 a year for each 100 members the idea being to assess each member 50 cents. The original bill fixed a license fee equal to that of retail licensed dealers.

The committee negatived the Humes bill which provided that the court should grant no license except where it could be shown that the place where liquors were to be sold was necessary for the accommodation of the public without a liquor dispensary. The bill also contained an anti-treating clause.

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RAILWAY ORDINANCE IS PASSED AT CALIFORNIA

Measure for New Trolley Line in Fair Way of Approval

MEANS MUCH TO TOWN

Will Provide Greatly Needed Outlet and Will be Godsend to Normal Pupils

An ordinance granting the Allenport and Roscoe Electric Street Railway company rights of way over one of the California streets passed second reading at a meeting of the California council Wednesday night, after it had been amended in some particulars by the council. The ordinance as it stands will make a very generous ordinance for the borough, providing it is finally passed at the next meeting.

It is the plan of the Pittsburg Railways Company, of which the new company will be a part, to let contracts and get their work started on the construction of tracks from Roscoe on to California this year. That a trolley line there will be of untold benefit California people realize. To the Normal pupils an outlet by trolley to the down river points will be a godsend. In addition to this the California people will have a new and dependable method of reaching Charleroi and other points to the north.

Some weeks ago Coal Center council finally passed an ordinance for the same railways company. The ordinance at California is similar in its provisions. Practically final arrangements have been made on the route between Roscoe and California for construction work to begin.

Pupils Make Paper Flag

Large Emblem Manufactured by First Graders of the Fifth Street School

Visitors to the first grade of the Fifth street school tomorrow afternoon or evening, when exhibition day will be observed will see one of the best pieces of work ever done by first grade pupils in the schools. This is a flag made of folded paper about 2 1-2 inches by 3 1-2. In the flag there are 122 red squares, 108 white squares, 56 blue squares, and 48 stars. The children who put the flag together are only about 6 or 7 years old. Miss Elizabeth Elliott is the teacher of the room.

INQUEST HELD BY CORONER

Evidence Shows Method by Which E. C. Metz Met Death

ASSAILANT IN JAIL

Evidence was heard Wednesday night by a coroner's jury investigating the death of E. S. Metz, of Monessen, to the effect that he died from a blow inflicted by an Italian by the name of Amelio LaBarri, who is now in the county jail at Greensburg. The blow was struck following a disagreement between Metz and a countryman of LaBarri's. The inquest was conducted at the undertaking rooms of Lawrence B. Frye. The verdict included a recommendation to the coroner of Westmoreland county that the county proceed in the case.

Five witnesses were heard. The first was State Constable Fred M. Ames, of the Monongahela detachment of State police. Ames testified to the capture of LaBarri in Blair county. He also stated that the man had picked out the iron bar with which Metz had been struck and had admitted having struck the blow. Other witnesses heard were all Greeks. Their names were Peter Fillo, Mike Nicoloridis, Jost Yrarmiodis, and Jose Kounakis. All of these were mill workers at the time of the assault.

It seemed that Metz, the foreman had an argument with an Italian under him as to some work, and the Italian whose first name was Patsy, but whose last name was unknown, had called him a vile name. Metz walked up to him, asking if he had

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GOV. TENER STANDS PAT IN ATTITUDE

Harrisburg, March 13—Governor Tener has called the bluff of the Demoratic members of the legislature in their attempt to put him in "the hole" and discredit his administration. This was by the governor's refusal to permit members of his executive force to appear before a legislative investigating committee to testify in the matter of holding double positions or more than one job at the expense of the state. The governor instructed all his subordinates to ignore the subpoenas of the probers which they did.

In explanation of his position the governor has sent a letter to the legislature defining his position. Very courteously he states that he does not propose to withhold from the legislature or the public any information concerning public affairs which the public has a right to know, but at the same time he clearly defines his rights as executive and the constitutional limitations of the legislature. He denies the right of the

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The Peterson family of musicians, consisting of Prof. Theo. Peterson, his wife and two daughters Alvina and Gladys, are to appear at the Christian church Friday evening in a program for the benefit and under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor connected with the church. The program will consist of musical numbers and readings of the best class. Prof. Peterson plays the violin, cornet and mandolin, Mrs. Peterson is the reader; Miss Gladys Peterson is a contralto soloist and humorist reader and Miss Alvina Peterson is a soprano soloist and violinist.

Stewart.

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ANOTHER BOOST IN PRICES.

Along with the arbitration of the demand of the railroad firemen for more pay on virtually all of the lines east of the Mississippi river, by which a raise in wages is practically assured, comes the intimation that freight rates are to be raised to meet the increased expenditures on the part of the railroads. It is reasonably certain that the roads affected will make the attempt to raise the rates, although they may be prevented by the United States railway commission, just as they were a couple of years ago, when they raised the pay of their employes, and then announced a raise in all freight rates. Then they were prohibited from boosting the traffic rates, but now, in the face of a second raise, it is doubtful if the same roads will be restrained this time.

If freight rates are raised it will mean another boost in the prices of practically every commodity that the consumer uses. The wholesalers will charge more to the retailer for goods sold, as the former pays an increased freight rate. Then for the second haul from the wholesaler to the retailer another boost will be given to meet the increased transportation charges. If the commodity passes through more than one middleman's hands an additional charge must be made for the increased transportation cost, so that by the time the consumer makes his purchase his dollar has shrunk more than the gold bugs declared it would in the days of the free silver scare.

The railroad firemen will get more pay and pay more for what they buy, but the rest of us who don't get any more money will also participate in the raise in prices on what we have to buy.

A USELESS EXPENDITURE.

A bill is to be introduced in the legislature to appropriate $75,000 to rehabilitate the old war ship Niagara, which has recently been raised from the bottom of Lake Erie, where she has reposed since the memorable days of the war of 1812, when Commodore Perry won his great victory on the lake from the British. The money, if the appropriation passes, is to preserve the old hulk for the sake of the valliant service she once performed.

Sentiment is all right when it does not cost too much. As a matter of fact the state has not $75,000 to spare for such a purpose as fixing up the old ship as a relic for sight seers. With all the insane asylums so crowded that no more inmates can be received, inadequate hospital facilities, and 10,000 victims of the Great White Plague dying each year for the want of sanitariums for treatment, it does not require an expert to determine whether or not we can afford to pay $75,000 for preserving a useless old hulk for purely sentimental purposes. Anyhow the old Niagara was an engine of war, an instrument to kill people—to help them to die. Something to help them to live at this particular time is of infinitely more importance.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A newspaper dispatch from New York Tuesday says that the high cost of living and its relation to the wages received by firemen was one of the question discussed at the hearing of the board chosen under the Erdman act to arbitrate the demands of the firemen employed on fifty-four eastern railways for higher wages and better working conditions.

James A. Bell, a fireman on the Pennsylvania lines, west, living at New Castle, Pa., admitted that during the six years and four months he had been with the company he had received several increases in pay, but, he said:

"I don't have any more money at the end of the month than I had when I first started to work for the road."

Chairman William L. Chambers went into details with the witness concerning his living expenses. Bell stated that his grocery bill was from $25 to $30 a month, his fuel bill in summer $2, rent $15, insurance $7, theatres, moving pictures only, 15 to 20 cents; no bar bill.

Clothing, Bell said, did not count for himself, as he had not bought a new suit in a year nor a new overcoat in two years. His wife, he said, had only had two new dresses in a year. He did not employ a servant, he said, yet he was always in debt.

This is the experience of practically every wage earning and salaried man throughout the country. In Charleroi or any of the valley towns, the fireman's rent bill would have been higher. Instead of $15 a month for a man in his position, it would probably have been from $20 to $25.

Even the cost of prison fare is advancing. The board of prison inspectors of Montgomery county, in their annual report submitted to the court, found the high cost of living during 1912 increased the outlay for prisoners' food considerably.

In 1911 the daily cost of food for each prisoner was .088 cents per day, and in 1912, .92 cents per day, an increase of 4 mills.

When the bread, soup and bean diet advances four mills per captia in prison fare, it can readily be seen how it hits the wage earner all along the line.

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called him the name. The Italian said he had, whereupon Metz made a threatening motion as if to strike. As he was apparently about to land a blow his assailant struck him with the iron bar from behind. The bar was about 18 inches long. D. R. Duvall was foreman of the jury which heard the testimony. Other members were James Hill, Harry W. Scott, Harry Williams, Davis Woodward, and Floyd Chalfant. Coroner James T. Heffran was here to conduct the inquest.

METHODIST MISSION SOCIETY IN SESSION

Mrs. F. A. Richards entertained the members of the Women's Home Misionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church on Wednesday afternoon, at her home on Lincoln avenue. Plans were discussed for carrying on home work, and arrangements were partially made for holding Easter markets in the windows of L. B.Frye's undertaking rooms and T. F. Lindsay's store. Mrs. Owens, devotional leader took charge of the devotional progarm.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Wilson may not even accept passes to the theatres, let alone to the ball games. Well, at $75,000 a year, he ought to be able to stand a little extra cost.

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May the Lord help those who help themselves to other people's property. For help they are going to need.

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The convention plan for the consideration of a new constitution is said by some of the legislators to be merely a "political idea." Will somebody please show us any bit of legislation introduced by anybody that is not a political idea.

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The Balkan armies know so well what they are doing that they think it safe to publish advance news of towns captured.

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The Pennsylvania Senate has passed a bill preventing the sale of cigrettes. That sounds more sensible than finger bowl legislation.

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All that Monessen seems to lack in its sensational goings-on is a Jack Rose.

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Strange to say out of the 30 or more definitely picked for Wilson's cabinet, only ten got jobs.

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An accountant ought to be a good person to select a chorus, being an expert on figures.

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Some fear is expressed that Wilson will pay so much attention to law-making that he won't have any time left to lay corne. stones or dedicate monuments, which would be an awful state of affairs.

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A girl arrested for having been concerned in the Monessen murder told the officers the first thing she wasn't going to tell the truth at any time to anybody. Now she can tell the truth all she wants and nobody will believe her.

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Some of the political syndicates that were understood to be stand-pat Republicans seem to have lost their complexion to such an extent that they are the strongest kind of Democratic organizations.

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Cambridge has a fourteen-year-old boy who is a doctor of philosophy. Yet it is doubtful if he is one half as admirable a person as the youngest player in the National league.

GOV. TENER STANDS PAT IN ATTITUDE

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A Democratic measure providing for a new congressional apportionment has ben introduced in the house. This one places Washington with Beaver county and makes it the twenty-sixth district. The house passed the hunters license bill by a vote of 82 to 69 on second reading. A bill prohibiting scalping of theatre or other amusement tickets, and providing for a fine of $100 for each ticket sold in violation of the act.

A joint resolution proposing amendments to the constitution so as to provide Statewide initiative and referendum as well as provisions for such functions in local districts was introduced in the house by Mr. Menson, McKean. This is in reality local option in another form with the diffenence that it does not apply to liquor alone but may be invoked in all local questions at the option of the voters in each district.

If a bill intorduced in the house passes, minors caught smoking cigarets, or found with the "coffin nails" or papers or "makings" in their possesson will be required to tell where they got the stuff under pain of a reformatory sentence.

Greatly encouraged over the vote for state-wide Prohibition in the House, the backers of the Steele bill are again active and have already inaugurated a campign to urge the enactment of the constitutional convention bill. They hope by getting this bill through to have enough delegates to the constitutional convention favorable to state-wide Prohibition to incorporate it in the new constitution by a vote of the people.

Not the Purchaser.

George W. Dawson, who was reported to have purchased an interest in a tract of coal land in Greene county this week, says the statement is incorrect. He is not the purchaser of the tract as was reported.

Spidell's millinery opening, Saturday, March 15, 403 McKean avenue. 194-t5

CRUSHED UNDER A BIG ROCK

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the P. V. & C. wrecking crew, living at West Brownsville.

He leaves a widow and three children, Katherine, Kramer and Nelson, all at home. The following brothers [illegible] survive: Mrs. E. B. Wells, Mrs. S. C. Crawford, Capt. T. M. Axton and Miss Effie Axton, all of West Brownsville, and Mrs. William A. Britton, of Washington. His mother, Mrs. Andrew Axton, is also living at West Brownsville.

Mr. Axton was prominent in Republican politics, having been for years a county committeeman from West Brownsville. He had served as a member of the school board for several terms and also as borough auditor.

Mr. Axton was a son of the late Andrew Axton, a pioneer boat builder of West Brownsville. Andrew Axton, seven years ago was killed on the P. V. & C. railroad.

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legislature under the constitution to have compellling power to hole his subordinates before probing committees and states that any information which the law requires will be promptly furnished.

As a matter of fact all the information that the probing committee desires to obtain may be found in "Smull's Legislative Hand Book," where every state position, the holder and salary attached may be found. This is public property, and has always been so. No new departures have been made in this respect under Governor Tener's administration, and the action of the so-called investigation is for the sole purpose of trying to discredit the administration.

Wait for Spidell's millinery opening, Saturday, March 15, 403 McKean avenue. 194-t5

DR. J. W, MANON IS AN INVENTOR

A drinking fountain for chickens is a device that Dr. J. W. Manon, of Fourth street has invented, and for which through the instrumentality of John S. Rodgers, Esq., of Fallowfield township, has received a patent. He has just received notification of the allowance of the patent.

PUTTING STREETS IN GOOD SHAPE

Street Commissioner Jacob Hormell this week has his men at work making the annual spring clean-up of the streets. Today the streets downtown are being washed and put in a neat condition. During the winter months, mud accumulated on the streets until they presented to say the least a very unclean appearance. By Saturday they will be gotten in natural shape.

LOCAL TEAM WILL PLAY BASKETBALL

The Peerless Five basketball club of Charleroi will travel to McKeesport Saturday night to meet the fast Y. M. C. A. club of that town. A good game is assured as both clubs have a good record for the season. The lineup will be

Charleroi:—Sheeler, F; Zapf, F; Herche, C; Yaros, G; Gelder, G;

McKeesport:—Lindberg, F; Hughes, F; Hornefeis, C: Orbell, G: Stevart, G.

Substitutes:—Shaner, C [illegible] Cramblet.

Beams for School.

Instead of the large steel beams at the local freight station being for the Carnegie Coal works as stated Wednesday, they are for the new Charleroi school building. The work of getting them to the site of the new building, will be somewhat of a feat.

PROGRAM

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MARCH 10--16

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"Sir Thomas Lipton at the Broncos Film Company Ranch," Key.

"For Lizzie's Sake," Key.

"Cabby and the Demon," Majestic.

"Her Fireman," Than.

FRIDAY.

"Shadow of the Past," a two reel Broncho.

"Tom, Dick and Harry," Punch.

"Just Kids," Punch.

SATURDAY.

"Open Road," two reel Reliance.

"Silver Plated Gun," American.

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Business Men Will Meet.

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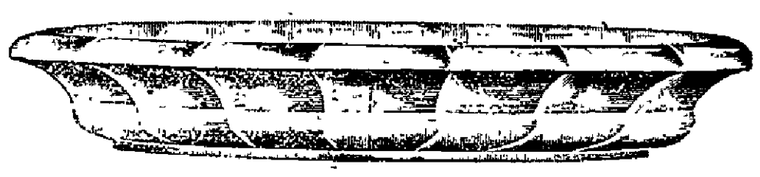

THIS illustration only gives a faint idea of the beauty of the souvenir which we are giving free to each one of our customers. We have a liberal supply, and anticipate a heavy demand; so if you want to secure one of these beautiful free souvenirs come to our Fourteenth Anniversary Sale as early as you can.

The bargains advertised in this sale will be continued ten days

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Special Anniversary Bargains in Dry Goods

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One lot fast color yard wide percales, dark and light blue in neat figures suitable for house dresses, etc. Anniversary sale price yard **8 1/3c**

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Full width fast selvidge twilled crash, well worth 6c Anniversary sale price yard **4c**

India Linon

Extra smooth finish sheer quality white india linon at a special anniversary sale price per yard **9c**

40-in. Sheeting

3500 yards extra quality unbleached sheeting, comes 40 ins. wide, suitable for either sheets or pillow cases, also nice for family use, a regular 10c quality Anniversary sale price per yd . . **7 1/2c**

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Bleached Pillow Cases

42 x 36 ready hemmed pillow cases worth 15c, anniversary sale price each **10c**

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We have just returned from the Eastern markets and found linen crashes very scarce and the outlook is for much higher prices. We have secured under an old contract a nice lot of reliable linen crash toweling that we put on sale for this anniversary event at per yard **10c**

Get a good supply of these as it looks as if you will have to pay 15c for anything as good later on.

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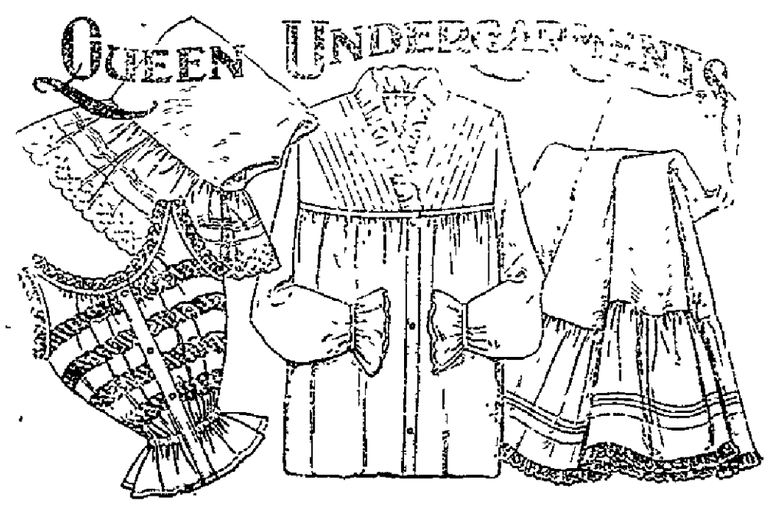

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Drawers

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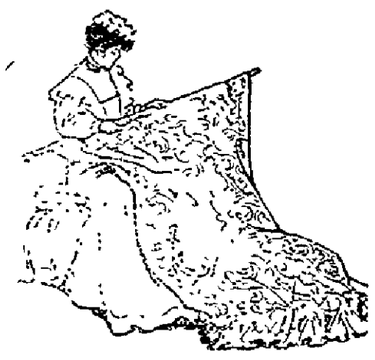

No more bother with pins or tucks—simply slip curtain rod through woven binding and curtain is ready to place in brackets.

The patterns this season are very pretty and we are showing some exceptional values in these new curtains at, per pair

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FROM MRS. D. H. BROWN.

Iola, Kansas.—"During the Change of Life I was sick for two years. Before I took your medicine I could not bear the weight of my clothes and was bloated very badly. I doctored with three doctors but they did me no good. They said nature must have its way. My sister advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I purchased a bottle. Before it was gone the bloating left me and I was not so sore. I continued taking it until I had taken 12 bottles. Now I am stronger than I have been for years and can do all my work, even the washing. Your medicine is worth its weight in gold. I cannot praise it enough. If more women would take your medicine there would be more healthy women. You may use this letter for the good of others."—Mrs. D. H. Brown, 809 North Walnut Street, Iola, Kan.

MRS. WILLIAMS SAYS:

Elkhart, Ind.—"I suffered for years from organic inflammation, female weakness, pain and irregularities. The pains in my sides were increased by walking or standing on my feet and I had such awful bearing down feelings, was depressed in spirits and became thin and pale with dull, heavy eyes. I had six doctors from whom I received only temporary relief. I decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial and also the Sanitive Wash. I have now used the remedies for four months and cannot express my thanks for what they have done for me.—Mrs. Sadie Williams, 455 James Street, Elkhart, Indiana.

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OVER THE COUNTY

Religious Interest Grows.

Interest in the tabernacle revivals at Canonsburg still keeps up. Tuesday night 39 persons 'hit the trail" making a total up to that time of 680. Delegations from other towns are in nightly attendance.

Claysville to Pave.

At a meeting of theClaysville council Monday evening W. F. Rhodes & Son, who have the contract from the state for the paving of that part of the national road which forms the main street of Claysville, appeared in regard to the paving of that part of the street which will devolve upon the borough. Rhodes & Son have the contract for paving the street for a width of 16 feet, this being the width the state paves. The contract price is $27,000. The street is 40 feet in width and this leaves 24 feet for the borough to pave. It is this work that Rhodes & Son are seeking to secure in connection with the work for the state. No action was taken by the council.

Measles at Amity.

The small town of Amity is almost demoralized by an epidemic of measles. Over thirty cases have been reported.

Speakers For Memorial Day.

At the monthly meeting of Patterson Jobes Post G. A. R of Claysville it was decided to request Rev. S. O. Smith, pastor of the M. E. church to preach the memorial sermon on Sunday, May 25. The Rev. R. T. Lynd, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will make the address on Memorial Day.

Notice.

Sealed bids will be received by the Borough clerk, of Charleroi, Pa., for grading, curbing and paving Long Alley from First to Fourth street, and from Seventh to Eighth street, and Fallowfield avenue from Ninth street to intersection of Lincoln avenue. All bids to be in on or before the first day of April, 1913. Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Plans and specifications can be seen at Engineer's or Borough Clerk's office.

Ira L. Nickeson,
Borough Clerk

Charleroi, Pa., March 12, 1913. T-W

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Frank Myers left this morning for Pittsburg, where he will be for about six weeks, employed by the Sears Auto company at their Pittsburg house.

Miss Erma Holyfield went to Washington today.

Miss Maud Spidell is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Albert Stech is in Pittsburg transacting business.

Through the agency of Harry W. Scott, of North Charleroi, Harry L. Pendelberry has purchased three lots and James Johns one lot in North Charleroi borough.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sloan of Washington avenue and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Piper were in Pittsburg Wednesday to see Gertrude Hoffman at the Alvin.

Classified Ads.

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire XX Mail office. 170-tfp

FOR SALE—Pony and cart. Call 611 Meadow avenue. 195-t4

FOR SALE—Two bed room suites; bed with springs and mattress. Moving the reason for sale. 113 Washington avenue. 196t3

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 921 McKean avenue. 195-t3p

FOR RENT—Four rooms. Inquire 618 McKean avenue. 195-t3

WANTED—Girl for housework 710 McKean avenue. 194-tf

WANTED—Man or woman to take agency for well advertised article. Large profits. Address 213 Mail office. 194-t3

WANTED—3 boys and 3 girls, high school students preferred. To make 2 to 3 dollars after school hours each day. Call at 733 Fallowfield 12 to 1 or 6 to 7. 196-t1p

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HOME COMPANY VICTOR IN INJUNCTION FIGHT

Court Declines to Stop Work at Bentleyville

QUESTION OF RIGHTS

Property Owner Claim Damages Would be Done by West Side Encroachment

Injunction proceedings instituted by L. E. Ecberton of Bentleyville to secure a preliminary injuction preventing the West Side Electric Street Railway company from passing over his property, have been dismissed by Judge J. A. McIlvaine, pending a final hearing. The home company thus is substantiated in its efforts to locate and operate a street railways line in Bentleyville, and is able to go ahead with the work.

Ecberton, the plaintiff, and the company have been at odds for some time over the proposed constitution of the tracks of the defendant company across his property, Ecberton claiming that irreparable injury would be done his property and his home would be encroached upon.

In his opinion Judge McIlvaine cites the law referring to the case, and says that he has been unable to find any decision of any court interpreting fully the words "curtilege appurtenant thereto," under which technically the case comes. He says the law can be given two constructions, but he rather thinks the case in hand should come under the second. This he described as "only the curtilege," or courtyard, "that is necessary to a full enjoyment of the dwelling as such, the court to decide finally if a dispute arises between the parties."

Judge McIlvaine states in his opinion that the Railways company can take a portion of the "curtilege" without interferring with the full enjoyment of the dwelling or the "curtilege appurtenent therto." "At least," he says, "the plaintiff's right to claim the land proposed to be appropriated as a necessary part of the "curtilege" of his dwelling is doubtful, and the company should not be enjoined until the plaintiff's right has been fully established at a final hearing." He also states that the company must take a risk of an injunction being granted after the final hearing.

The opinion of Judge McIlvaine simply means that the company may proceed with its work of constructing a line through Bentleyville borough and that it will continue. But for the decision the completion of the line would have been held up.

Concert.

At the First Christian church on Friday evening, March 14, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor. Admission adults 25 cents; children under 12, 15 cents. 196t1

Don't forget Spidell's millinery opening, 403 McKean avenue. Saturday, March 15. 194-t5

Second pool match at 8:15 tonight, Oriental Pool Rooms, Taylor vs. Rocco. Rocco won the first game. Taylor is out to win tonight. 196t1

Asks Money For Hospital

Representative Schuck Introduces Bill For Local Institution

An appropriation for $20,000 for the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, at North Charleroi, is called for in a bill that has been presented in the legislature at Harrisburg by Representative Carey L. Schuck, of Monessen. The bill will be taken up in due time together with other appropriation bills. Some time ago the State Board of Charities recommended appropriations for hospitals and State institutions. In their recommendations was included $5,000 for the Charleroi-Monessen hospital. An effort will be made to increase this amount.

CRUSHED UNDER A BIG ROCK

Emmet Axton Meets Death in Unusual Way

WITH WRECKING CREW

Emmett R. Axton, aged about 35, a resident of West Brownsville and one of the best known citizens of the Monongahela valley, was instantly killed at 12:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in an unusual accident. Axton as foreman of the wrecking crew of the Monongahela division of the Pennsylvania had taken his men to a point about one-quarter of a mile north of Rices Lnding to remove a stone overhanging the railroad track and which threatened to fall.

Axton placed a ladder against the side of the bank and had ascended to put a chain around the stone preparatory to having it removed by a derrick when the earth beneath the stone loosened and the obstruction fell directly upon him. He was carried to the track below a distance of about 20 feet, and was picked up dead. His skull was fractured and death was apparently instantaneous. His body was removed immediately to his home in West Brownsville.

Mr. Axton was a native of West Brownsville and for a greater portion of his adult life had been employed by the P. V. & C. road. In 1904 and 1905 with William A. Britton, of Washington he conducted the hotel in North Main street, Washington, now known as the Cunningham House. Later Mr. Axton became foreman of

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HOT TIMES CONTINUE AT WIRETON; FIGHT IS TODAY'S FEATURE

Monessen's Little Mexico Still a Good News Center---Mill Hands Witness Hot Battle Between Two Youths

Turbulent Wireton, that revolutionary Mexico of Monessen borough again came to the forefront with lawless behavior this morning. The hamlet where the murder of Policeman Michael Entinger occurred Saturday night was at an early hour densely populated and the occasion was firsticuffs between two mill hands of one of the big Monessen mills. The bout was pulled off at the carnival grounds south of the Monessen-Charleroi bridge.

The principals of the affair were lads about old enough to vote, one it stated being from Monessen and one from Belle Vernon. One was partly stripped, as though he was about to enter the prize ring. The other apparently did not think such a formality as stripping necessary and kept on his shirt.

Mill hands and others to the number of 75 or 100 surrounded the pair and saw to it that neither backed out. People from Monessen, Belle Vernon and Charleroi cars witnessed the disgraceful scene. The lads clinched right off the reel. Down they went, pummelling [illegible] each other. They were separated. The spectators were there to see a scrap and they didn't fancy a wrestling match.

The two flew at each other with sudden fury. One fellow hit the other a blow like that by which Jim Jeffries won the heavyweight championship years ago. The recipient landed about 10 or 15 feet away. Immediately the man who landed was upon his prostrate form pumelling away for dear life. Results were in doubt however for the under chap recovered quickly and went after the other in turn. When the spectators tired of the affair, the lads shook hands and declared it a draw.

The fighters were unmolested by the appearance of any officers, as they realized they would be.

LOCAL OPTION PUT UP TO THE SENATE FOR THEIR DECISION

Sensenich of Westmoreland Council Introduces Bill Permitting 51 Per Cent of Voters to Decide Question

Harrisburg, Mar. 13—In order to commit the senators and place them on record for the next campaign, the Anti-Saloon League turned its guns on the senate Wednesday in the hope of forcing a vote on the liquor question. This was when Senator Sensenich of Westmoreland county presented the most drastic liquor bill of the session, which provides indirectly for local option with townships, boroughs, cities and counties as the units. The bill provides whenever a petition signed by not less than 51 per cent. of the number of votes cast at the last preceding election in any township, borough, city or county, praying that the court refuse all licenses, the judges are compelled to comply with the request. The petitions are to be filed in conformity with the court rules regarding petitions and remonstrances at present.

The house law and order committee got busy again Wednesday, and reported out the Scott club license bill, which is backed by Governor Tener. The bill was amended to provide that each club should pay a license fee of $50 a year for each 100 members the idea being to assess each member 50 cents. The original bill fixed a license fee equal to that of retail licensed dealers.

The committee negatived the Homes bill which provided that the court should grant no license except where it could be shown that the place where liquors were to be sold was necessary for the accommodation of the public without a liquor dispensary. The bill also contained an anti-treating clause.

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RAILWAY ORDINANCE IS PASSED AT CALIFORNIA

Measure for New Trolley Line in Fair Way of Approval

MEANS MUCH TO TOWN

Will Provide Greatly Needed Outlet and Will be Godsend to Normal Pupils

An ordinance granting the Allenport and Roscoe Electric Street Railway company rights of way over one of the California streets passed second reading at a meeting of the California council Wednesday night, after it had been amended in some particulars by the council. The ordinance as it stands will make a very generous ordinance for the borough, providing it is finally passed at the next meeting.

It is the plan of the Pittsburg Railways Company, of which the new company will be a part, to let contracts and get their work started on the construction of tracks from Roscoe on to California this year. That a trolley line there will be of untold benefit California people realize. To the Normal pupils an outlet by trolley to the down river points will be a godsend. In addition to this the California people will have a new and dependable method of reaching Charleroi and other points to the north.

Some weeks ago Coal Center council finally passed an ordinance for the same railways company. The ordinance at California is similar in its provisions. Practically final arrangements have been made on the route between Roscoe and California for construction work to begin.

Pupils Make Paper Flag

Large Emblem Manufactured by First Graders of the [illegible] School

Visitors to the first grade of the Fifth street school tomorrow afternoon or evening, when exhibition day will be observed will see one of the best pieces of work ever done by first grade pupils in the schools. This is a flag made of folded paper about 2 1-2 inches by 3 1-2. In the flag there are 122 red squares, 108 white squares, 56 blue squares, and 48 stars. The children who put the flag together are only about 6 or 7 years old. Miss Elizabeth Elliott is the teacher of the room.

INQUEST HELD BY CORONER

Evidence Shows Method by Which E. C. Metz Met Death

ASSAILANT IN JAIL

Evidence was heard Wednesday night by a coroner's jury investigating the death of E. S. Metz, of Monessen, to the effect that he died from a blow inflicted by an Italian by the name of Amelio LaBarri, who is now in the county jail at Greensburg. The blow was struck following a disagreement between Metz and a countryman of LaBarri's. The inquest was conducted at the undertaking rooms of Lawrence B. Frye. The verdict included a recommendation to the coroner of Westmoreland county that the county proceed in the case.

Five witnesses were heard. The first was State Constable Fred M. Ames, of the Monongahela detachment of State police. Ames testified to the capture of LaBarri in Blair county. He also stated that the man had picked out the iron bar with which Metz had been struck and had admitted having struck the blow. Other witnesses heard were all Greeks. Their names were Peter Fills, Mike Nicoloridis, Jost Yrarmiodis and Jose Kounakis. All of these were mill workers at the time of the assault.

It seemed that Metz, the foreman had an argument with an Italian under him as to some work, and the Italian whose first name was Patsy, but whose last name was unknown, had called him a vile name. Metz walked up to him, asking if he had

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GOV. TENER STANDS PAT IN ATTITUDE

Harrisburg, March 13—Governor Tener has called the bluff of the Demoratic members of the legislature in their attempt to put him in "the hole" and discredit his administration. This was by the governor's refusal to permit members of his executive force to appear before a legislative investigating committee to testify in the matter of holding double positions or more than one job at the expense of the state. The governor instructed all his subordinates to ignore the subpoenas of the probers which they did.

In explanation of his position the governor has sent a letter to the legislature defining his position. Very courteously he states that he does not propose to withhold from the legislature or the public any information concerning public affairs which the public has a right to know, but at the same time he clearly defines his rights as executive and the constitutional limitations of the legislature. He denies the right of the

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The Peterson family of musicians, consisting of Prof. Theo. Peterson, his wife and two daughters Alvina and Gladys, are to appear at the Christian church Friday evening in a program for the benefit and under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor connected with the church. The prorgam will consist of musical numbers and readings of the best class. Prof. Peterson plays the violin, cornet and mandolin. Mrs. Peterson is the reader; Miss Gladys Peterson is a contralto soloist and humorist reader and Miss Alvina Peterson is a soprano soloist and violinist.

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ANOTHER BOOST IN PRICES.

Along with the arbitration of the demand of the railroad firemen for more pay on virtually all of the lines east of the Mississippi river, by which a raise in wages is practically assured, comes the intimation that freight rates are to be raised to meet the increased expenditures on the part of the railroads. It is reasonably certain that the roads affected will make the attempt to raise the rates, although they may be prevented by the United States railway commission, just as they were a couple of years ago, when they raised the pay of their employes, and then announced a raise in all freight rates. Then they were prohibited from boosting the traffic rates, but now, in the face of a second raise, it is doubtful if the same roads will be restrained this time.

If freight rates are raised it will mean another boost in the prices of practically every commodity that the consumer uses. The wholesalers will charge more to the retailer for goods sold, as the former pays an increased freight rate. Then for the second haul from the wholesaler to the retailer another boost will be given to meet the increased transportation charges. If the commodity passes through more than one middleman's hands an additional charge must be made for the increased transportation cost, so that by the time the consumer makes his purchase his dollar has shrunk more than the gold bugs declared it would in the days of the free silver scare.

The railroad firemen will get more pay and pay more for what they buy, but the rest of us who don't get any more money will also participate in the raise in prices on what we have to buy.

A USELESS EXPENDITURE.

A bill is to be introduced in the legislature to appropriate $75,000 to [illegible] the old war ship Niagara, which has recently been raised from the bottom of Lake Erie, where she has reposed since the memorable days of the war of 1812, when Commodore Perry won his great victory on the lake from the British. The money, if the appropriation passes, is to preserve the old hulk for the sake of the valiant service she once performed.

Sentiment is all right when it does not cost too much. As a matter of fact the state has not $75,000 to spare for such a purpose as fixing up the old ship as a relic for sight seers. With all the insane asylums so crowded that no more inmates can be received, inadequate hospital facilities, and 10,000 victims of the Great White Plague dying each year for the want of sanitariums for treatment, it does not require an expert to determine whether or not we can afford to pay $75,000 for preserving a useless old hulk for purely sentimental purposes. Anyhow the old Niagara was an engine of war, an instrument to kill people—to help them to die. Something to help them to live at this particular time is of infinitely more importance.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A newspaper dispatch from New York Tuesday says that the high cost of living and its relation to the wages received by firemen was one of the question discussed at the hearing of the board chosen under the Erdman act to arbitrate the demands of the firemen employed on fifty-four eastern railways for higher wages and better working conditions.

James A. Bell, a fireman on the Pennsylvania lines, west, living at New Castle, Pa., admitted that during the six years and four months he had been with the company he had received several increases in pay, but, he said:

"I don't have any more money at the end of the month than I had when I first started to work for the road."

Chairman William L. Chambers went into details with the witness concerning his living expenses. Bell stated that his grocery bill was from $25 to $30 a month, his fuel bill in summer $2, rent $15, insurance $7, theatres, moving pictures only, 15 to 20 cents; no bar bill.

Clothing, Bell said, did not count for himself, as he had not bought a new suit in a year nor a new overcoat in two years. His wife, he said, had only had two new dresses in a year. He did not employ a servant, he said, yet he was always in debt.

This is the experience of parctically every wage earning and salaried man throughout the coutury. In Charleroi or any of the valley towns, the fireman's rent bill would have been higher. Instead of $15 a month for a man in his position, it would probably have been from $20 to $25.

Even the cost of prison fare is advancing. The board of prison inspectors of Montgomery county, in their annual report submitted to the court, found the high cost of living during 1912 increased the outlay for prisoners' food considerably.

In 1911 the daily cost of food for each prisoner was .088 cents per day, and in 1912, .92 cents per day, an increase of 4 mills.

When the bread, soup and bean diet advances four mills per captia in prison fare, it can readily be seen how it hits the wage earner all along the line.

INQUEST HELD BY CORONER

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called him the name. The Italian said he had, whereupon Metz made a threatening motion as if to strike. As he was apparently about to land a blow his assailant struck him with the iron bar from behind. The bar was about 18 inches long. D. R. Duvall was foreman of the jury which heard the testimony. Other members were James Hill, Harry W. Scott, Harry Williams, Davis Woodward, and Floyd Chalfant. Coroner James T. Heffran was here to conduct the inquest.

METHODIST MISSION SOCIETY IN SESSION

Mrs. F. A. Richards entertained the members of the Women's Home [illegible] Episcopal church on Wednesday afternoon, at her home on Lincoln avenue. Plans were discussed for carrying on home work, and arrangements were partially made for holding Easter markets in the windows of L. B. Frye's undertaking rooms and T. F. Lindsay's store. Mrs. Owens, devotional leader took charge of the devotional progarm.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Wilson may not even accept passes to the theatres, let alone to the ball games. Well, at $75,000 a year, he ought to be able to stand a little extra cost.

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May the Lord help those who help themselves to other people's property. For help they are going to need.

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The convention plan for the consideration of a new constitution is said by some of the legislators to be merely a "political idea." Will somebody please show us any bit of legislation introduced by anybody that is not a political idea.

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The Balkan armies know so well what they are doing that they think it safe to publish advance news of towns captured.

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The Pennsylvania Senate has passed [illegible] the sale of cigarettes. That sounds more sensible than finger bowl legislation.

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All that Monessen seems to lack in its sensational goings-on is a Jack Rose.

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Struggle to say out of the 50 or more definitely picked for Wilson's cabinet, only ten got jobs.

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An accountant ought to be a good person to select a chorus, being an expert on figures.

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Some fear is expressed that Wilson will pay so much attention to law-making that he won't have any time left to lay corner stones or dedicate monuments, which would be an awful state of affairs.

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A girl arrested for having been concerned in the Monessen murder told the officers the first thing she wasn't going to tell the truth at any time to anybody. Now she can tell the truth all she wants and nobody will believe her.

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Some of the political syndicates that were understood to be stand-pat Republicans seem to have lost their complexion to such an extent that they are the strongest kind of Democratic organizations.

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Cambridge has a fourteen-year-old boy who is a doctor of philosophy. Yet it is doubtful if he is one half as admirable a person as the youngest player in the National league.

GOV. TENER STANDS PAT IN ATTITUDE

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A Democratic measure providing for a new congressional apportionment has ben introduced in the house. This one places Washington with Beaver county and makes it the twenty-sixth district. The house passed the hunters license bill by a vote of 82 to 69 on second reading. A bill prohibiting scalping of theatre or other amusement tickets, and providing for a fine of $100 for each ticket sold in violation of the act.

A joint resolution proposing amendments to the constitution so as to provide Statewide initiative and referendum as well as provisions for such functions in local districts was introduced in the house by Mr. Menson, McKean. This is in reality local option in another form with the diffenence that it does not apply to liquor alone but may be invoked in all local questions at the option of the voters in each district.

If a bill introduced in the house passes, minors caught smoking cigarets, or found with the "coffin nails" or papers or "makings" in their possesson will be required to tell where they got the stuff under pain of a reformatory sentence.

Greatly encouraged over the vote for state-wide Prohibition in the House, the backers of the Steele bill are again active and have already inaugurated a campign to urge the enactment of the constitutional convention bill. They hope by getting this bill through to have enough delegates to the constitutional convention favorable to state-wide Prohibition to incorporate it in the new constitution by a vote of the people.

Not the Purchaser.

George W. Dawson, who was reported to have purchased an interest in a tract of coal land in Greene county this week, says the statement is incorrect. He is not the purchaser of the tract as was reported.

Spidell's millinery opening, Saturday, March 15, 403 McKean avenue. 194-t5

CRUSHED UNDER A BIG ROCK

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the P. V. & C. wrecking crew, living at West Brownsville.

He leaves a widow and three children, Katherine, Kramer and Nelson, all at home. The following brothers [illegible] survive: Mrs. E. B. Wells, Mrs. S. C. Crawford, Capt. T. M. Axton and Miss Effie Axton, all of West Brownsville, and Mrs. William A. Britton, of Washington. His mother, Mrs. Andrew Axton, is also living at West Brownsville.

Mr. Axton was prominent in Republican politics, having been for years a county committeeman from West Brownsville. He had served as a member of the school board for several terms and also as borough auditor.

Mr. Axton was a son of the late Andrew Axton, a pioneer boat builder [illegible] Axton, seven years ago was killed on the P. V. & C. railroad.

LOCAL OPTION PUT UP TO THE SENATE FOR THEIR DECISION

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legislature under the constitution to have compelling power to hale his subordinates before probing committees and states that any information which the law requires will be promptly furnished.

As a matter of fact all the information that the probing committee desires to obtain may be found in "Smull's Legislative Hand Book," where every state position, the holder and salary attached may be found. This is public property, and has always been so. No new departures have been made in this respect under Governor Tener's administration, and the action of the so-called investigation is for the sole purpose of trying to discredit the administration.

Wait for Spidell's millinery opening, Saturday, March 15, 403 McKean avenue. 194-t5

DR. J. W. MANON IS AN INVENTOR

A drinking fountain for chickens is a device that Dr. J. W. Manon, of Fourth street has invented, and for which through the instrumentality of John S. Rodgers, Esq., of Fallowfield township, has received a patent. He has just received notification of the allowance of the patent.

PUTTING STREETS IN GOOD SHAPE

Street Commissioner Jacob Hormell this week has his men at work making the annual spring clean-up of the streets. Today the streets downtown are being washed and put in a neat condition. During the winter months, mud accumulated on the streets until they presented to say the least a very unclean appearance. By Saturday they will be gotten in natural shape.

LOCAL TEAM WILL PLAY BASKETBALL

The Peerless Five basketball club of Charleroi will travel to McKeesport Saturday night to meet the fast Y. M. C. A. club of that town. A good game is assured as both clubs have a good record for the season. The lineup will be

Charleroi:—Sheeler, F; Zapf, F; Herche, C; Yaros, G; Gelder, G;

McKeesport:—Lindberg, F; Hughes, F; Hornefeis, C; Orbell, G; Stevart, G.

Substitutes:—Shaner, C [illegible] Cramblet.

Beams for School.

Instead of the large steel beams at the local freight station being for the Carnegie Coal works as stated Wednesday, they are for the new Charleroi school building. The work of getting them to the site of the new building, will be somewhat of a feat.

PROGRAM STAR THEATRE

MARCH 10--16

Coming, Friday, March 21.

"As in a Looking Glass," in three reels, featuring as leading lady Miss Marion Leonard, highest paid moving picture actress in the world—receiving $1,000 per week.

A good show at the Star every day. Come daily for one week and we will convince you.

THURSDAY.

"Sir Thomas Lipton at the Broncos Film Company Ranch," Key.

"For Lizzie's Sake," Key.

"Cabby and the Demon," Majestic.

"Her Fireman," Than.

FRIDAY.

"Shadow of the Past," a two reel Broncho.

"Tom, Dick and Harry," Punch.

"Just Kids," Punch.

SATURDAY.

"Open Road," two reel Reliance.

"Silver Plated Gun," American.

Don't miss one of these days as this is a very strong 5 cent program.

Matinee Daily 1 to 4.

Agent Wanted.

$5 to $7 daily selling New Fibre Brooms; 100 per cent profit; every woman will buy. Begin canvass at once. Sample by express, 30 cents. Wynne Broom Co., Elmira, N. Y. 189-t6p

Stop That Itch!

[illegible] D. D. D. Prescription for [illegible] I guarantee this [illegible] W. F. Henning's, Charleroi, Pa.

Business Men Will Meet.

Tonight at 8:30 o'clock, the Charleroi Business Men's Association is to hold its regular monthly meeting in the rooms in the Kirk and Clark building. A special committee is to make a report. All members are especially desired to be present.

CHARLEROI GROWS IN IMPORTANCE

Populaion and growth always permanent and substantial. Good Industrial Prospects for the near future.

38% Gain in 10 Years

Population 9,615 by Census of 1910. Estimated population at the present time more than 10,000.

Trading Center of Approximately 60,000 People

Within a radius of 10 miles of Charleroi 15,000,000 tons of coal are mined annually. There are within this radius 75 active mining operations whose yearly payroll to miners aggregate $11,000,000.

THIS TERRITORY IS COVERED EVERY EVENING BY

THE CHARLEROI MAIL

Read by all the best people and the best advertising medium in this section of the Monongahela Valley.

Women's ready-made black and white striped calico petticoats

29c

Clark

STORE

CHARLEROI, PA.

Full bleached table damask in pretty colors, anniversary sale price yd.

23c

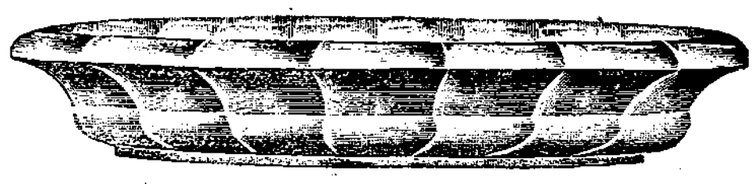
Fourteenth Anniversary Sale

and Spring Opening

Saturday and Monday, March 15th and 17th

See the special anniversary bargains we had no room to mention here

Store open Saturday and Monday evenings



THIS illustration only gives a faint idea of the beauty of the souvenir which we are giving free to each one of our customers. We have a liberal supply, and anticipate a heavy demand; so if you want to secure one of these beautiful free souvenirs come to our Fourteenth Anniversary Sale as early as you can.

The bargains advertised in this sale will be continued ten days

Why Pay More?

Special Anniversary Bargains in Dry Goods

Yard Wide Percales

One lot fast color yard wide percales, dark and light blue in neat figures suitable for house dresses, etc. Anniversary sale price yard **8 1/3c**

Bleached Cotton Crash

Full width fast selvidge twilled crash, well worth 6c Anniversary sale price yard **4c**

India Linon

Extra smooth finish sheer quality white india linon at a special anniversary sale price per yard **9c**

40-in. Sheeting

3500 yards extra quality unbleached sheeting, comes 40 ins. wide, suitable for either sheets or pillow cases, also nice for family use, a regular 10c quality Anniversary sale price per yd **7 1/2c**

Galatea Suiting

One fine lot of Galatea suitings for children's dresses, boys' suits, separate skirts, etc. Regular 18c and 20c values, anniversary sale price per yard **15c**

Huck Towels

Fair size (13x28) good towels with red border, anniversary sale price each **5c**

Bleached Pillow Cases

42 x 36 ready hemmed pillow cases worth 15c, anniversary sale price each **10c**

Linen Crash Toweling

We have just returned from the Eastern markets and found linen crashes very scarce and the outlook is for much higher prices. We have secured under an old contract a nice lot of reliable linen crash toweling that we put on sale for this anniversary event at per yard **10c**

Get a good supply of these as it looks as if you will have to pay 15c for anything as good later on.

Corset Covers

A fine quality well made corset cover finished with neat hemstitched edging and fine quality pearl buttons, a genuine 25c value that we offer for our fourteenth anniversary at

14c

Drawers

Made of extra quality cambric and finished with close cluster of tucks and hemstitched edge, best workmanship, anniversary sale price any size

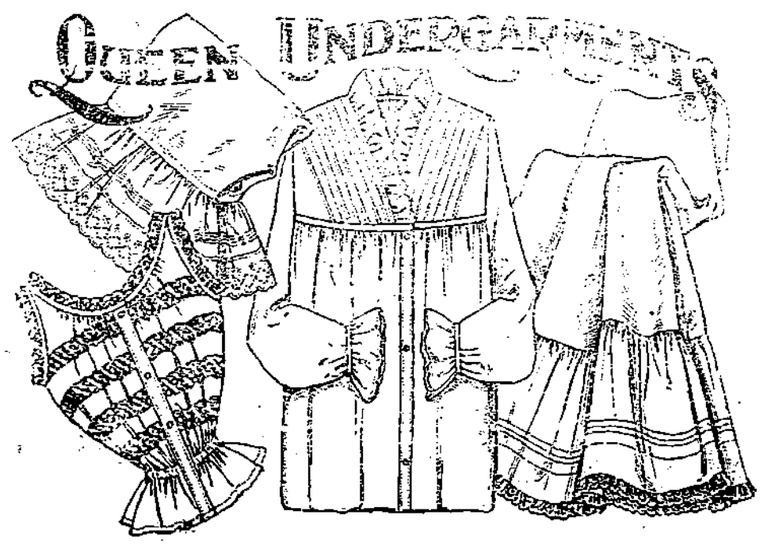
28c

Night Gowns

Made of good soft finished material by experts, a neat plain style and a big value at anniversary sale price

48c

Fourteenth Anniversary Sale of



One Dollar Gowns for 79 Cents

Extra fine lot of gowns in fifteen different styles, embroidered, tucked, etc., all worth a dollar, some more, this remarkable lot offered during this sale, choice for **79c**

Princess Slips

A two piece combination garment that is much in demand. Fine material, embroidery trimmed, anniversary sale price

$1.00

Crepe Gowns

Made of the new soft crepe material that does not require ironing—pretty styles at a special anniversary price

$1.00

Drawers

of the new French cut, very fine materials and trimmed with dainty swiss embroidery, special for anniversary sale

50c

Ready-to-Hang Curtains

No more bother with pins or tucks--simply slip curtain rod through woven binding and curtain is ready to place in brackets.

The patterns this season are very pretty and we are showing some exceptional values in these new curtains at, per pair

$1.00 to $3.50

We are also showing some novelties in one-to-a-window curtains at very interesting prices.

American Beauty Corsets

For fourteen years we have handled this line and have found it to give the best of service to our customers. The new models are here and we can fit any figure.

When in the store ask to see the style best suited to your figure and if you care to buy we absolutely guarantee every corset to give entire satisfaction.

Prices range from

$1.00 to $?

194-t5

After Long Suffering

Women Are Constantly Being Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"Worth mountains of gold," says one woman. Another says, "I would not give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for all the other medicines for women in the world." Still another writes, "I should like to have the merits of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound thrown on the sky with a searchlight so that all suffering women could read and be convinced that there *is* a remedy for their ills."

We could fill a newspaper [illegible] quotations taken from the letters we have received from grateful women whose health has been restored and suffering banished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Why has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound accomplished such a universal success? Why has it lived and thrived and kept on doing its glorious work among the sick women of the world for more than 30 years?

Simply and surely because of its sterling worth. The reason no other medicine has ever approached its success is plainly and simply because there is no other medicine so good for women's ills.

Here are two letters that just came to the writer's desk—only two of thousands, but both tell a comforting story to every suffering woman who will read them—and be guided by them.

FROM MRS. D. H. BROWN.

Iola, Kansas.—"During the Change of Life I was sick for two years. Before I took your medicine I could not bear the weight of my clothes and was bloated very badly. I doctored with three doctors but they did me no good. They said nature must have its way. My sister advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I purchased a bottle. Before it was gone the bloating left me and I was not so sore. I continued taking it until I had taken 12 bottles. Now I am stronger than I have been for years and can do all my work, even the washing. Your medicine is worth its weight in gold. I cannot praise it enough. If more women would take your medicine there would be more healthy women. You may use this letter for the good of others."—Mrs. D. H. Brown, 809 North Walnut Street, Iola, Kan.

MRS. WILLIAMS SAYS:

Elkhart, Ind.—"I suffered for 11 years from organic inflammation, female weakness, pain and irregularities. The pains in my sides were increased by walking or standing on my feet and I had such awful bearing down feelings, was depressed in spirits and became thin and pale with dull, heavy eyes. I had six doctors from whom I received only temporary relief. I decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial and also the Sanitive Wash. I have now used the remedies for four months and cannot express my thanks for what they have done for me.—Mrs. Sadie Williams, 435 James Street, Elkhart, Indiana.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

We have on sale a large line of ladies' slightly soiled linen Walking Skirts, prices $1.00, $1.25, $1.75 and $2.00 as long as they last for **50c**

Our line of Spring Suits and Coats is now complete. We are also showing some of the latest cuts in Johnny Coats and large Plaid Novelties. Come in and see them.

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Have your grape vines, rose bushes, fruit and shade trees trimmed now. Up-to-date service.
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We invite new accounts and new business upon our merits for strength and superior facilities.

BANK OF CHARLEROI

Charleroi, Pa.

Almost Carpet Time

Now that cleaning time is so near you will begin to think of replacing those worn carpets. Why not pick them early and be sure of getting just what you want. Carpets are not bought every day and you should be careful to select just what will please you longest. You have perhaps at some time selected a carpet hurridly that you never liked afterward. Avoid a similar mistake by looking over our complete line of carpets and rugs—begin now and you'll have time to make a careful selection.

A full line of yard wide and three-fourth carpets, all sizes and grades in rugs. Let us show you our goods before you buy---make us prove to you that you can do better here than elsewhere.

J. W. Berryman & Son

MAIL CLASSIFIED WANT ADS BRING QUICK RESULTS

The Arrival of Betty and Billy—the Lawrence Paint Kids

"WELL, here we are! We've been in many a town in many a land. We've done a lot of stunts that please and we hope every other little kid in town will join us in our work and play. You'll find it's lots of fun.

"Kids always like to paint because they like to see old, ugly things made pretty. And we paint real things, too.

"Mother said as long as we liked to paint so well she'd let us do something *really worth while.* So we've painted some kitchen chairs, the pantry floor, our two iron beds and a lot of things.

"We use LAWRENCE PAINTS altogether. They're so smooth, and soft, and bright, and stay so pretty.

"Why don't you have your mother get you some real paint? Then you can fix up everything fine for Spring. If you get a can of LAWRENCE PAINT we will show you in this very newspaper what and how to paint.

"Now don't forget about this and be sure to watch us do our different stunts.

"After a few days to rest up from our journey on the train we'll start our fun. Good-bye till then."

LAWRENCE PAINTS

are "ready mixed." When once tried the user always terms them *"The Best Paints."* They are the clearest, richest, most easily applied and most durable paints on the market.

For "complete paint satisfaction" always use LAWRENCE PAINTS. Let us tell you all about them and be sure to ask for a card of colors.

BOWERS HARDWARE CO.,
CHARLEROI, PA.

NEVER SUCH A REMEDY FOR PILES

It will only cost any sufferer 25 cents to prove that bleeding, itching or protruding piles, no matter how chronic or how painful can quickly be ended forever.

Go to W. F. Henning, or Piper Brothers today, hand them a quarter, say "I want a jar of San Cura Ointment" and if you aren't satisfied—your money back.

Yes, and more, use San Cura Ointment for old sores that people say will never heal, for fever sores, for itching skin, eczema, teeter, salt rheum, chapped hands, face or lips, for ulcers, carbuncles, boils, sore nipples and broken breasts.

It draws out all poison; that's the secret of the wonderful success of San Cura Ointment, that's why it so quickly heals scalds, burns, cuts and bruises without scarring. It's best to use San Cura Soap at all times, it banishes pimples, blackheads and kills the germs of disease. 25 cents. Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa. 3

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Evans.

Spring Opening, Saturday, March 15. Millinery in matchless beauty and unrivaled in number will be on exhibition at this store. The latest styles in ladies' tailored suits, tailor-made skirts, fancy waists, spring coats and fancy neck wear. A full line of ladies' white under garments. Every one cordially invited to [illegible] McKean avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 194-t3

READ THE MAIL

OVER THE COUNTY

Religious Interest Grows.

Interest in the tabernacle revivals at Canonsburg still keeps up. Tuesday night 39 persons "hit the trail" making a total up to that time of 680. Delegations from other towns are in nightly attendance.

Claysville to Pave.

At a meeting of theClaysville council Monday evening W. F. Rhodes & Son, who have the contract from the state for the paving of that part of the national road which forms the main street of Claysville, appeared in regard to the paving of that part of the street which will devolve upon the borough. Rhodes & Son have the contract for paving the street for a width of 16 feet, this being the width the state paves. The contract price is $27,000. The street is 40 feet in width and this leaves 24 feet for the borough to pave. It is this work that in connection with the work for the state. No action was taken by the council.

Measles at Amity.

The small town of Amity is almost demoralized by an epidemic of measles. Over thirty cases have been reported.

Speakers For Memorial Day.

At the monthly meeting of Patterson Jobes Post G. A. R of Claysville it was decided to request Rev. S. O. Smith, pastor of the M. E. church to preach the memorial sermon on Sunday, May 25. The Rev. R. T. Lynd, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will make the address on Memorial Day.

Notice.

Sealed bids will be received by the Borough clerk, of Charleroi, Pa., for grading, curbing and paving Long Alley from First to Fourth street, and from Seventh to Eighth street, and Fallowfield avenue from Ninth street to intersection of Lincoln avenue. All bids to be in on or before the first day of April, 1918. Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Plans and specifications can be seen at Engineer's or Borough Clerk's office.

Ira L. Nickeson,
Borough Clerk.
Charleroi, Pa., March 12, 1918. T-W

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Frank Myers left this morning for Pittsburg, where he will be for about six weeks, employed by the Stearns Auto company at their Pittsburg house.

Miss Erma Holyfield went to Washington today.

Miss Maud Spidell is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Albert Stech is in Pittsburg transacting business.

Through the agency of Harry W. Scott, of North Charleroi, Harry L. Pendelberry has purchased three lots and James Johns one lot in North Charleroi borough.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sloan of Washington avenue and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Piper were in Pittsburg Wednesday to see Gertrude Hoffman at the Alvin.

Classified Ads.

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire XX Mail office. 170-tfp

FOR SALE—Pony and cart. Call 611 Meadow avenue. 195-t4

FOR SALE—Two bed room suites; bed with springs and mattress. Moving the reason for sale. 418 Washington avenue. 196t3

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 921 McKean avenue. 195-t3p

FOR RENT—Four rooms. Inquire 618 McKean avenue. 195-t3

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